Practitioner's Docket No. RAL919990140US1

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

In re application of:

Brian M. Bass, et al

CENTRAL FAX CENTER

Serial No.:

09/544,992

AUG 1:0 2004

Filed:

4/6/2000

For:

LONGEST PREFIX MATCH (LPM) ALGORITHM IMPLEMENTATION

FOR A NETWORK PROCESSOR

Group Art Unit:

2172

Examiner:

Anh Ly

OFFICIAL

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that the following papers are being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office at (703) 872-9306 on the date shown below:

- NOTICE OF APPEAL- In duplicate (4 Pages)
- 2. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - 2 MONTHS - in duplicate 4 pages)

Faxed By:

Karen Orzechowski

AUGUST 10, 2004

Date

PLEASE DELIVER TO US PATENT OFFICE GROUP UNIT 2172 - FOR EXAMINER ARK Ly-FAX 703-872-9306 / PHONE 703-306-4527

TRANSMITTED FROM: Mr. JOSCELYN G. COCKBURN, Attorney (Josh) IBM CORPORATION

intellectual Property Law Dept. 9CCA/Bidg. 002-2

3039 Cornwallis Road

Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

Phone: (919) 543-9036 / Fax: (919) 254-2649

For FAX transmission problems call Karen Orzechowski at 919-543-7860

TOTAL PAGES FAXED INCLUDING THIS COVER: 9